

Tartuffe
Is Coming

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Earnest
Will Be Here



DEAN NELSON plays Alphonse Moncreiff in "The Importance of Being Earnest" and plays Cleante in "Tartuffe." He served overseas with G Company of the 172nd Infantry after which he directed and played the lead in the Army's "Call to Freedom" on tour.

College Theater Week Features Two Plays by Moliere and Wilde

November 10 and 11 Are
Dates the Comedies Will
Be Staged.

The College is fortunate in having two major theatrical productions presented next week by the National Repertory Theater of New York. The week, November 10-14, has been designated as Theater Week.

"The Importance of Being Earnest," by Oscar Wilde, is scheduled for November 10, and "Tartuffe," by Moliere will be given November 11. Both productions will star William Browder, a veteran performer. Supporting him in the plays will be Tanagra Kanellos and Dean Nelson. "The Importance of Being Earnest" was recently given a Broadway revival. It is a delightful comedy of English manners, rich in satire and expertly acted. The grandeur and elegance of 17th Century France is the setting for the amusing Moliere masterpiece "Tartuffe." Both plays are brilliantly staged and have elaborate costumes.

Library Becomes More Streamlined

New Services Include Film
Library, Browsing Room,
Records and Studio.

A new program designed to streamline and animate the library's role on the campus and in this district's educational program has been announced by Paxton Price, librarian. The library building will house such services as a browsing room, record library and studio, picture loan service, film library, and collections of sample text books and children's literature, all made possible by a new enlarged budget.

The large first floor room at the north end of the library will soon become the browsing room, designed to take the edge off traditional library formalism. This room will include the current magazines and newspapers, along with a rotating collection of novels, plays, essays, and other books of popular interest. All new books of general interest will be on display here first. The decorations will include attractive furniture, end and coffee tables, table lamps, wall pictures, floor length draperies, and indirect lighting equipment.

Near the browsing room will be a record library and studio. On the shelves of the studio will be the master works used by the music department records to aid such departments as those of speech and social science, and the foreign language records. Four record machines, equipped with earphones, will be installed. This room will also have indirect lighting and comfortable furniture.

Picture Loan Service
Approximately one hundred fine art reproductions by old and modern masters will be processed and framed by the library staff to be lent to students. All pictures are the truest mechanical reproductions that science will permit, thereby making accessible to students those rare works the originals of which are now in private collections and distant museums. The pictures, which represent a large investment of money, will all

New Administrative Plan Adopted for Bookstore

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Regents held in the President's office on October 18 a new plan for the administration of the College Bookstore was adopted. In the future the policies of the Bookstore will be determined by a Bookstore advisory committee as a part of the program of the division of Student Welfare and Health. The committee will be composed of the Dean of Women, Mrs. Harry Sheetz; the Dean of Men, Mr. Lon Wilson; Mr. Sterling Surrey, chairman of the Commerce Department; and Mr. H. V. Neece, Business Manager of the College. Mr. John Wolfe will be the executive officer of this committee and will carry out the policies adopted by the committee in the administration of the Bookstore. Problems of policy will be presented to the Bookstore Advisory Committee by the Executive Officer.

Horace Mann High School Has Plays

Senior and Junior Clubs
Will Present Three
Productions.

The Senior Footlights Club of Horace Mann High School in conjunction with the Junior Footlights will produce three plays, November 17. The casts for the two plays to be given by the Senior Club were chosen after try-outs were held.

"Boss for a Day" by Vivian McCullough will star Paul Dillinger as Mr. Skinn, the boss, Martha Nelson as Miss Typum, Burdell Hutson as Mr. Letumdown Easy, and Jim Doran as Mr. Soakum Plenty. The story concerns the humorous situation of the boss and his secretary, who exchange places for a day, and the mix-up which ensues. Student managers for this play are Artie White and Jo E. Wilson.

Second of the plays is "The Great Man" by Irene Crandall. The cast of characters are John Nichols, a dreamer, Gene Hartzell; Mrs. Nichols, Virginia Bird; Edward Nichols, Earl Pasch. John Nichols lived in the same town all his life and had been happy, but his wife longs for social position. Edward, who has attained worldly success, visits the couple with a startling suggestion. Student managers are Joan Hansen and Don Holaday.

A skit also to be given by the Senior Club is "Weather or Not." The cast is Henrietta, Jeanie McClurg; Horace, Keith Lee; Wilton Weatherwax, Gerald Smock; Snoopy Pinchell, Jo Dempsey. This is a catchy skit concerning the woes of the interfering radio stations. The manager is Marcia Garrett.

The part of the production to be given by the Junior Club will include a one act play and a skit.

Cast of "For a Rainy Day" will be Phil Schaffer played by Ronald Pfost, Jean Schaffer by Shirley McGinness, Natalie Schaffer by Phyllis Hansen, Leonard Schaffer by Richard Hartzell, Mr. Foster by Frankie Babb, Pamela Callows by Betty Hainey, and Miss Mead by Leona Ringold.

The story is about a family whose father is out of work, a mischievous son, and a spendthrift mother. A very humorous situation! Student managers are Mary Lee Valk, Herman Saltee, and Rosalie Kiser.

A skit, "The Great Beyond," will have as characters Annabelle Schneider, who will play a spiritualist, and Audra Williams, as Mr. Benson. Student managers are Beverly Hurst and Barbara Bever. Mrs. Mark Christine, sponsor, will direct the production.

College Shop Provides Relaxation After Study

The College Craft Shop is beginning its second year on the campus. It was organized in the fall of 1946 by President Jones and the Industrial Arts department. The purpose of the Craft Shop is to provide an opportunity for all students, members of the faculty, their wives and the G. I. wives to do craft work and to enjoy relaxation after study and work.

Under the supervision of Mr. Ringold the College Craft Shop is open two times a week, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, from 3:00 to 5:30, in the Industrial Arts building.

There are no restrictions on what those who use the shop may choose to make. They may work in leather craft, gimp craft, art metals, and wood work.

A few of the articles made are billfolds, key cases, cigarette cases, letter holders, lamps, bracelets, ash trays, serving trays, napkin rings, and baskets.

Anyone interested in enjoying the College Craft Shop activities should feel free to attend the next meeting.

Smiles From the Queen and Her Attendants



The five co-ed candidates for the title of homecoming queen smile from the Residence Hall porch during the campaign conducted in their behalf on the campus by their friends and fans. The candidates are, left to right, Delores Keown, Gilman City; Sue Philp, Chillicothe; Katherine Espey, Maryville; Margaret Curry, Oregon; and Maxine McDermott, Bridgewater, Iowa. At the election held last Thursday, Margaret Curry was chosen queen and reigned over Homecoming proceedings last weekend.

Hickory Stick Will Again Be Battle Prize

C. B. A. Will Present
Assembly, December 12

Even though a few students may have missed some assemblies before this time it is not likely that they will miss the one to be presented by the Commerce and Business Administration club on December 12.

Very little information is being given out about the program except that it is important that everyone understand that it is to be of the utmost seriousness.

The central committee, composed of Ann Miller, Lee Hoover, Dick Wood, Helen Fisher, Doris Gillispie, Manley Thompson, and Gaylord Coleman, are writing the skits and will, with others, perform in them. These skits will cover the activities of a commerce major from the time he enters college as a freshman until his graduation. There will be skits of various classes including business law, accounting, typing, and practice teaching, as well as skits for numerous other occasions.

Real life characters will participate in such roles as President Jones, Dean Cunningham as Dean Cunningham, Mr. Everett Brown as Mr. Everett Brown, et cetera. But also there will be students acting out their consciences. The various faculty members will speak as they would to a class, an assembly, or a group of students, and the students will speak as their conscience would have them speak.

It is repeated that this assembly will be one of great seriousness. It is rumored that one will be allowed to laugh only twice every half minute.

Miss Clark Speaks at Meeting
This afternoon, November 5, at 4:15, the A. A. U. W. will meet in the Tivoli lounge to hear Miss Herma Clark of the Chicago Tribune.

Students Entertain at Pickering
College students representing the Dramatics club and the Music Department gave a community program at Pickering, Thursday, October 30.

She Plays in "Tartuffe"



Miss Isabella Ward will appear in the production of "Tartuffe" in the College auditorium, Tuesday, November 11.

College Journalists Help Prepare Special Edition

Members of the Northwest Missourian staff who contributed articles to the homecoming edition of the Maryville Daily Forum are as follows: Paul Gates, Chicago, Illinois; Bill Elam, Maryville; William Agler, Maryville; Paul Basford, Maryville; Jean Bush, Maryville; Helen Fisher, St. Joseph; Ann Miller, Clarinda, Iowa; Helen Spire, Maryville; Carolyn Steel, St. Joseph; and Jimmie Waller, St. Joseph.

Ferne Williams, New Hampton; Dolores Cook, Shenandoah; and Norma Jean Scowden, Savannah, were in charge of the typing.

The I. O. B. Earnest—recently revived on Broadway by John Gielgud's English Company.

This year's football game with Kirksville will mark the revival of an old tradition of the winning team's capturing the coveted Hickory stick. Many students do not know of this tradition as it has been rather obsolete the past few years. In fact the hickory stick itself has disappeared. This is the story: About twenty years ago the colleges at Maryville and Kirksville decided to adopt a new tradition. A hickory stick became the object of the teams' endeavors. On the stick were inscribed the words: "This stick was grown on a farm in the Maryville district on which Eugene Fair, president of Kirksville, was born." Following was a complete record of scores of the games through the years the stick was handed about. Maryville did not get a firm hold on the stick until 1938, but since that time we had kept it in our possession until last year when our team was defeated by Kirksville to the tune of a 12-6 score.

This fall the College received a letter from the Assistant to the President of Kirksville, Robert L. McKinney, saying that the stick had been lost and suggesting that we make a new one. With the cooperation of the Industrial Arts department, the "M" Club members are fashioning a new stick which they hope to keep in their possession from now on. Watch for the hickory stick!

Graduate of Last Year Teaches in Colorado

Mr. Mayes of the maintenance department of the College has received a letter from Jones Mason who graduated in 1946.

Mr. Mason is teaching sociology, world history, geography, general mathematics, and algebra and is doing some coaching of girls' and boys' sports in Hoswell, a small town in the southeastern part of Colorado.

September 1, he married Miss Charlene Michel of Lakin, Kansas, who is now teaching commerce and music in the Hoswell high school.

He received his B. S. degree in education with a major in geography from the College.

Margaret Curry of Oregon Is Homecoming Queen

Miss Margaret Curry of Oregon was crowned homecoming Queen of the College at the Variety Show program in the College auditorium Friday night, October 31.

Miss Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Curry, is a sophomore at the College and is a primary education major. Her father, a newspaper publisher, is a member of the College Board of Regents.

For the coronation ceremony, Miss Curry, a brown-eyed brunette, wore a formal gown of light blue crepe with peasant neckline and draped hipline peplum.

The queen, chosen by a student body election, is a member of the Women's Athletic Association, Sigma Sigma Sorority, Association for Childhood Education and the Residence Hall council.

Miss Curry was crowned by Harold "Swede" Johnson, Bearcat football co-captain, and was presented a shower bouquet of large white chrysanthemums by Paul Gates, also a football co-captain.

College Dance Band Led by Brad Moore

Directs Talented Group
Who Play For College
Social Functions.

Since the fall quarter began, many of the College students have been interested in the dance band led by Bradley Moore.

Organized in February, the band retains its original members with the exception of Herb Dieterich, of Maryville, and the incoming freshmen. The band has been playing not only for most of the College social functions, but also for the social functions of high schools in Iowa and in Northwest Missouri. The members like to travel, and look forward to the coffee or meal served after the dance.

Although their studies require most of their time, the members have proved that they are good musicians, and there is complete cooperation within the band. The men like to play for large crowds, and like to watch their audience dance, even though they would enjoy being among the crowd, dancing also.

Bill Baker, Ernest Witt, Dean Steeby, and Robin Snyder are the band's soloists. Baker and Witt are responsible for all sweet solos, while Steeby and Snyder "give out" with the hot solos. Steeby is also the vocalist with various members of the band singing "scat" songs.

Bill Baker, Dean Steeby, Jack Green, and Harold Hall are the first, second, and third trumpet and first trombone players, respectively. Baker, of Platte City, is nineteen and a sophomore; Steeby, of Cameron, is a junior; Green, of Oregon, is a freshman; and Harold Hall, of Wilcox, is twenty-three and a graduate of Horace Mann high school. He is also a veteran of three years service in the Pacific where he played in the 280th Army Ground Forces Band in Manila.

Ernest Witt, Robin Snyder, Roy Lilly, and Johnny Wallace are the first alto, second tenor, third alto, and fourth tenor saxophone players. Witt, of St. Joseph, attended Junior College there and is now a senior here at the College; Snyder is from Gallatin, Lilly, of Maitland, is nineteen and a sophomore; and Wallace, of Maryville, is a freshman.

Don Prindle, Bob Tebow and Bradley Moore compose the rhythm section of the band. Prindle, of Coffey, a sophomore, plays the piano in the dance band and a trumpet in the College band; Bob Tebow, of Maryville, a freshman, plays the string bass in the band, and various other instruments outside the band; and Bradley Moore, of St. Joseph, twenty-two, a graduate of Benton high school and leader of the band, plays the drums. He served four years in the E. T. O. and played in the 288th Army Ground Forces Band in Berlin.

Future Homemakers Meet at Horace Mann

Wednesday, October 25, one hundred and twenty-nine members of the Future Homemakers Association attended a meeting at Horace Mann high school. The five high schools attending were Horace Mann, Maryville, Tarkio, Rock Port and Hopkins. Maryville is Sub-district Number Two of the thirty-one sub-districts in Missouri. Each school made favors to be used at the luncheon at Residence Hall and autograph books to be signed by those attending.

Dr. Clifford Bishop, Dr. J. W. Jones, Dr. June Cozine and Mr. H. R. Dieterich spoke before the assembly held in the auditorium. After the meeting, a tea was given in the library.

Faculty Will Honor College Freshmen

Formal Reception Will Be
Held at Residence Hall
Thursday Evening.

Freshmen of the College are to be honored by the faculty at the annual Faculty Reception for the Freshman Class on Thursday evening, November 6, from eight until ten o'clock. The reception, which is to be held in Residence Hall, is formal.

Hosts and hostesses for the party will all be faculty members, faculty wives, and staff members. They are planning the reception in such a way as to give the first-year students an opportunity to meet socially the faculty members with whom they work and others connected with the College. The details are in the hands of committees appointed by the Student Affairs Committee of the faculty. Mrs. H. E. Sheetz, director of personnel for women, is chairman of the committee. Serving with her are Miss Chloe Millikan, Mr. Lon Wilson, Mr. W. T. Wright, Miss Judith Thom, Mr. John Taylor, Mrs. Ramona Canton, Miss Mabel Cook, Mrs. Harold V. Neece, Mr. Leslie White, and Mr. Myron Rose.

In the receiving line will be President and Mrs. J. W. Jones, President Emeritus and Mrs. Uel Lamkin, Dean and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilson, and Mrs. H. E. Sheetz.

Although it isn't mandatory, all freshmen whose last names begin with the letters A through M are urged to attend the first hour, from eight until nine. All those whose last names begin with the letters N through Z are urged to attend the last hour. This arrangement is suggested in order to avoid congestion since the class is large.

All of the faculty members have been assigned to committees by the central planning committee. The opportunity to meet these people with whom much contact will be made in the ensuing years is one to be utilized to the fullest.

Guests will be met at the door by faculty members, with different groups each hour. They will be directed to various rooms by other groups where they may leave their wraps. Introduction to the receiving line will follow, and after the hesitant freshmen have learned that their instructors are friendly people outside the classroom the coolness will disappear and many interesting conversations will begin. At the end of the receiving line, guests will be met by faculty representatives and led into groups to facilitate the meetings of faculty and students.

Decorations have been arranged for the reception by the committee in charge. All of the faculty have worked carefully to make this meeting a memorable and worthwhile one to the freshmen, a meeting that enables the freshmen to know their instructors outside the classrooms as well as inside the classrooms.

President Receives Letter From Norway

Odd Steinsholt Studies
Latin at University
Near His Home.

Mr. Odd Steinsholt, a former student at the College from Norway, recently wrote a letter to President Jones. Mr. Steinsholt graduated from the College in August, 1947, with a B. S. degree in secondary education. His letter, written from Dynekilgata 10, Oslo, Norway, follows:

For some time have I been thinking of writing to you to inform you that I am "safe" back in old Norway. A few changes are involved in a trip from U. S. to Norway. I am not only thinking of the fact that the temperature has dropped from 90 degrees to 30 degrees but also of the different conditions under which I am now studying. First, now do I realize the ideal conditions under which the students at Maryville work and live. Now I am living at one end of Oslo; it takes me twenty minutes to get to the University where I attend seven lectures a week, then I shall have to walk for another fifteen minutes to one of the libraries or study halls. I shall also be lucky if I find a place to sit. Well, the conditions are a result of an increased number of students and also, of course, of the fact that no new buildings have been added to the University since 1939. There are some new buildings here for the students of Chemistry and Physics, and a whole new "University City" has been planned. But for the time being all building-material is used for living houses. —So much for that.

I arrived in Oslo on the sixth of September. We had the most beautiful voyage over. No sea at all; the moon came over every evening big and red as it only can be on the ocean. I spent a little more than a week with my family; incidentally we were

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Miracle on the Long Walk

Do you believe in love at first sight? Do you believe that you can fall in love with someone the first time you see the person? The birch trees didn't, but they were young then, way back in 1910. They had been here only a year or so and they didn't have the experience that their later years would bring them. But it didn't take long to convince them, because in the fall of 1917 it happened. They fell in love and at first sight too, all five of them.

It was a warm fall day just before school began again in 1917. A soft breeze was ruffling the branches of the birches and they were enjoying the day immensely, when the bench arrived. The birches became excited. Here was company for the long winter nights and the lazy summer days, someone to enjoy the campus with them. And then when the white marble slab was laid across the carved end pieces and the birches saw the bench complete for the first time—it happened. They fell in love.

The bench fell in love, too. The birches were tall and stately and they protected the bench from rain and snow as much as they could. But best of all, the breeze blowing

through their branches gave a soft accompaniment to the talks of students sitting on the bench. That was the time when the bench and the birches were happiest, when a boy and a girl sat and talked or just held hands, and shared the love of the bench and the birches. It didn't occur to the boy and girl that the birches and bench were in love too. When a picture of them in the 1938 Tower was captioned "Love, sweet love," the students thought that it referred to themselves, but the bench and the birches knew better.

So life went on. Hundreds of boys and girls sat on the bench given by the class of 1916. Many of them carved their initials in the white marble until it was no longer smooth. The bench and the birches didn't mind, because they were young people in love, too, recording their presence and sharing in the love of the bench and the birches. It was a pleasant life with many changes in the ways of the people around them, but very little difference in the bench and the birches.

Then, on one horrible night in 1939, that life was destroyed. Vandals broke the white marble of the bench. How it was done, only the

birches knew. But, nevertheless, the bench was lying on the ground in two pieces the next morning. And so the slab was taken away and only the end pieces remained. Students were indignant at the "destruction" of one of their favorite benches, but the birches were heartbroken. Life was no longer the thing of pleasure that it had been for twenty-three years. Slowly, as time went on, they became more lonely until finally in November, 1941, they died, all five of them. People said that a blizzard froze them, but the truth is that the birches had lost all the warmth of life on an agonizing night two years before.

You might think that this is the end of the story, but it isn't. The bench is complete again. The slab is back in place, but it is still cracked. It has been reinforced with concrete. And the birches are back, four of them now. They are young as their predecessors were in 1910, but they have an advantage. They have already fallen in love with the bench and are protecting it as much as they can. And best of all, their branches are again providing the soft accompaniment for a boy and a girl to talk and share the love of the bench and the birches.

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will reverence and obey the College laws and do our best to inculcate a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us.

CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER!

During the spring quarter of the school year 1946 and 1947, a Homecoming Committee was appointed here at the College. Industrious leaders, one and all, the people on this committee, under the faculty direction of Dr. John Harr, immediately set to work on plans for an elaborate Homecoming celebration.

Much work was done during the spring and summer quarters. However, when the regular school term for 1947 and '48 began this fall, no stone was left unturned to make the plans generally known to every student.

Very few students, if any, escaped without putting in some work on Homecoming, 1947 style. Many students served on the "over-all Homecoming Committee"; many served on the sub-committees; and still others helped through clubs and organizations. Often, individuals did something to add to the gala affair, just from self-initiative.

Faculty members were seen with saws, hammers, paint, and paint brushes in their hands; pencils over their ears; and nails in their teeth while working on floats, plaques, and general decoration projects. Even some of the grads, in whose honor the celebration was being held, were seen contributing in some way to its success before it actually became a day.

Well, it's over! Homecoming, 1947, is behind us. Many were the gay activities enacted; many were the happy "Together again groups" seen shaking hands and talking excitedly; many were the hoarse voices acquired from unaccustomed yelling; but few were the events that will ever be forgotten!

Pleasant are the memories that already are fading away into the past but fading to form a background of memories that will often be recalled by every graduate and student of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College.

Congratulations are in order for each person who was directly or indirectly responsible for the success. The thanks of the school go to the graduates and former students who came back to join in backing the Bearcats. We hope you had a good time—we hope you come back again, often—you're always welcome at the College.

FOR MORE THAN A WEEK

Religion came to the College last week. Students who were interested participated in the discussions and listened earnestly to the words of instruction by the leaders. However, some came to meetings out of curiosity and others came because they were required to do so. Regardless of the reasons for which students attended meetings during the week of Religious Emphasis, not one went away without having gained or learned something of importance—something to think about and consider in his mind—something that he had not known before.

For a week now, religion on the campus has not been stressed as it was during those few days. Does that necessarily mean that students in the College have forgotten about it? Are they taking the attitude of, "Oh well, we can take a week of it but thank goodness it's over"? It is probable that a majority of students who got anything from those meetings are actually thinking realistically and constructively and progressively about this thing called "religion."

If you are one who is not, consider this thought: "God does not merely exist in our lives on one day during the week, or one week of the entire year, but He wields his influence over the universe day after day throughout eternity."

Why not make God part of your daily life and daily living?

The congratulations of the staff go to Dr. W. Clark Ellzey, Dr. L. L. Loftwich, and Mr. Robert Allard, who so diligently directed activities during the week; and to the home committee responsible for the program.

Let us do something about religion in our daily lives from now on and prove to these people that their work was not in vain!

Calendar

November 5, Wednesday
Sigma Tau Gamma—7:00, Den.
Varsity Villagers—7:00, Room 103.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00, Room 120.
November 6, Thursday
Faculty Reception for Freshmen.
November 7, Friday
Game—Kirksville, There.
November 10, Monday
String Ensemble, 4:00, Room 205.
Student Christian Association—7:00, Den.
Major Entertainment—8:15, Auditorium.
November 11, Tuesday
Dance Club—7:00-8:30, Room 114.
Alpha Phi Omega—7:00, Room 103.
Senate Meeting—6:45, Den.
Major Entertainment—8:15, Auditorium.
November 12, Wednesday
Independent Meeting—7:00, Room 113.
Sigma Tau Gamma—7:00, Den.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00, Room 120.
November 13, Thursday
C. B. A.—7:00-8:00, Room 207.
Newman Club—7:30, Den.
November 14, Friday
Game—Warrensburg, Here.
November 17, Monday
String Ensemble—4:00, Room 205.
International Relations Club—7:00, Den.
Buchanan County Meeting—7:30, Lounge.
November 18, Tuesday
Dance Club—7:00-8:30, Room 113.
Senate Meeting—6:45, Den.
November 19, Wednesday
Sigma Tau Gamma—7:00, Den.
Varsity Villagers—7:00, Room 103.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00, Room 120.
November 20, Thursday
Alpha Phi Omega—Den.
Guild Players—7:00, Auditorium.
November 21, Friday
Chorus and Guild Players—7:00, Auditorium.
November 22, Saturday
Sigma Tau Dance—9:00, Country Club.
November 24, Monday
String Ensemble—4:00, Room 205.
Student Christian Association—7:00, Den.

Health Department

Freshmen have been very prompt and conscientious in keeping their appointments and should be congratulated. But the upperclassmen are already beginning to show a careless attitude toward keeping their appointments. Daily a list of those who fail to appear for their physical is turned in at the Dean's office and daily these shirkers are called from classes and reminded of their forgetfulness. Don't let your name be on one of these lists. Remember to keep your appointment. If you have conflicts and cannot keep your appointment report the matter to the Health Office before appointment time.

We should like to introduce a new member of the Health Department staff. She is Mrs. Jerry (Mary Pat) Obermiller, and she will be working in the Horace Mann Health Office. Mrs. Obermiller is a former student at the College.

Office Hours—Residence Hall Sick Call—8:00 to 9:30 A. M.
Gymnasium Health Office—10:00 to 12:00 A. M. 1:00 to 4:00 P. M. faculty.

Enlistments Are Being Accepted for Battery

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 129th Field Artillery Battalion, Missouri National Guard, were inspected for Federal recognition Monday night, October 20, 1947.

Through the courtesy of President Jones the 129th has been allowed space in the College gymnasium, and will rent the quonset hut for storage of vehicles and heavy equipment.

The Battery will meet for drill every Monday night at 7:30 p. m. Those interested in joining may see Captain Walter C. Wilson at Cummins Furniture Company, or Captain John W. Liddle at the postoffice for information. Enlistments will be accepted every Monday night at the regular drill time, in the gymnasium.

It is anticipated that there will be an encampment next summer for two weeks' duration.

Experience in field artillery is not necessary to join. In fact, no experience in the army is necessary. Any male in good health, 17 to 34, may join.

The pay scale is as follows, for each drill:

Master Sergeant or 1st Sergeant	\$5.50
Technical Sergeant	\$4.50
Staff Sergeant and Technician, 3rd grade	\$3.83
Sergeant and Technician, 4th grade	\$3.33
Corporal and Technician, 5th grade	\$3.00
Private 1st Class	\$2.66
Privates	\$2.50

It might be added that so far everyone is a private; so there is opportunity for advancement.

Can you use an extra ten bucks each month (minimum)?

Tartuffe, Mollere masterpiece, a favorite with all audiences.

To Prepare a Celebration

It takes the combined efforts of the administration, faculty, and student body to prepare a Homecoming celebration. We wish to thank all those people who gave so unstintingly of their time, talents, and labor to put on this event. If it was a success it was because you took pride in your college and put your shoulders to the wheel. Congratulations to all of you for a job well done. If you have any suggestions or criticisms to make, please hand them in now while the affair is still fresh in your minds so that those who are responsible in the future may profit by our mistakes.

John L. Harr
Sterling S. Surrey
Ramona Canton
Jean Bush

Homecoming was a success because each one of you helped. Your loyalty is wonderful.

Thank you.

J. W. Jones,
President

What Your Senate Does

OFFICERS

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The meeting was called to order by the president. Roll was called and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Senators Nally and Doran were appointed to buy apples for the football team to take on their next trip. Permission was granted the Homecoming Committee to use the Den on October 31, following the Variety Show.

Use of the table in the Den was denied the refreshment committee for the Homecoming Dance because of the condition of the table. Motion carried that the meeting adjourn.

Meeting adjourned.
Marilyn Partridge,
Secretary.

Each student of the Northwest Missouri Teachers College, upon entering the College as a student regularly enrolled, automatically becomes a member of the Student Governing Association. His duty is that of individual responsibility for, and cooperative support of, the ideals of the college.

The executive powers of this

association are vested in a president and vice president who are elected by vote of the entire student body; and a secretary, treasurer, and parliamentarian, each of whom is selected by vote of the other members of the Senate. The legislative and judicial powers of the Association are vested in a Student Senate composed of the president and vice president of the Association and four members of each class except the Freshman which has two representatives.

This year, following an election held in the spring of 1947, Richard C. Thomas, a senior from Hemple, and Richard Appelman, a senior from Skidmore, are serving as president and vice president, respectively. Since the beginning of the fall quarter, Helen Marie Davis has been chosen as treasurer; Marilyn Partridge as secretary; and Mary Garrett as parliamentarian. Other members include Dick Leet, Raymond Nally, Marvin Doran, Roger Wren, Beverly Johnson, Dorothy June Masters, Roberta Robertson, Bill Elam, and Jean Polsley.

Resolutions Presented to Teachers

THE NORTHWEST MISSOURI TEACHERS ASSOCIATION
OCTOBER 10, 1947

WE, THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS, wish to submit the following report:

- WE, The Northwest Missouri Teachers Association, extend a vote of thanks to the Board of Regents, President J. W. Jones, the program committee, and the members of the faculty of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, for their cooperation and hospitality to the teachers of this district.
- WE wish to extend a vote of thanks to the Chamber of Commerce, to Mrs. Harry Sheetz and her committee on housing for their kindness and to the citizens of Maryville, for their gracious hospitality in opening their homes to the teachers.
- WE extend our thanks to Hubert Wheeler, State Commissioner of Education, Miss Mary Womack, President of the Missouri State Teachers Association, and to Mr. Everett Keltch, State Secretary, for their valuable contributions to the success of the program as a whole.
- WE extend a vote of thanks to our officers, especially to our president, Wilbur Williams, and to our secretary, Mr. Everett Brown, for their untiring efforts in securing this excellent program, and to Mr. Ralph Hartzell of the Conservatory of Music.
- BE IT RESOLVED, that we acknowledge the efforts of the Missouri State Teachers Association in increasing the membership of the National Education Association in Missouri and that we urge all members of this association to affiliate with the national organization.
- BE IT ALSO KNOWN, that we deplore the present shortage of teachers and strongly commend the State Department of Education and Commissioner Hubert Wheeler for their efforts to raise the standards of the teaching profession as quickly as possible.
- BE IT RESOLVED, that this association favors the adoption of the salary schedule for teachers inaugurated by the National Education Association with a minimum salary of \$2400 for teachers holding a bachelor's degree.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we favor full cooperation with UNESCO.
- WE RECOMMEND that the Secretary of the Association be instructed to provide the Committee on Resolutions of the State Teachers Association with a copy of these resolutions.
- WE RECOMMEND that copies of these resolutions be printed in The Maryville Daily Forum, The Maryville Weekly Tribune, The Northwest Missourian, and The School and Community.

Respectfully Submitted

F. L. Skelton, Chairman
G. Frank Smith
H. T. Phillips
S. C. Skelton

Resolutions Committee

National Service Life Insurance valued at \$305,939,000 has been re-instituted by veterans in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma since February of this year.

Recent tabulations by the Veterans Administration show that

three out of five veterans are under 30 years old.

Fifty thousand veterans in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas reinstated their National Service Life Insurance during the past eight months.

Campus Leaders

Student Christian Association
President Dorothy Adams
Vice President Norma Snyder
Secretary Donna Martin
Treasurer Justyn Graham
Sponsors Dr. Mueller, Dr. Dildine, Dr. Dreps

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Green and White Peppers
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Secretary Beverly Litch
Treasurer Barbara Munson
Reporter Betty Johnson

The Stroller

That's you— Student Body with a franchise to gloat— more esprit de corps displayed during the gala homecoming week than in the past ten years.

Monday morning— Legitimate yapping at the clinic about physical examinations left in a lurch— Redblooded American boys still being camped trying to make an exit from Residence Hall between 10:20 and 10:30 at night.

Eddie Wallace is still leading that select group which wears suits and cravats to school. (All Humanities students of course) They're vying to see who gets to pose for the Lord Calvert advertisement of "Men of Distinction."

It's Superman— It's Jack Jawbreaker— No, it's Jack Slack sailing through the pines at midnight, getting away from the 'possum thrown in his room at the quad by "Carl" Hubbell, who imported it from Kansas for the occasion. While Jack was convalescing from shock and exposure someone opened his door and threw in a double-bag tomato of the rhubarb variety, and it started all over again.

Last week in that teeth chattering rain Dean Cunningham and Harold Neece curbed their car to offer some beetles headed for Residence Hall a ride— The gals elevated their noses and romped on through the rain giving them the complete fluff— ooo oo . . .

Overheard— in debate class. Chuck Rupe: "Why are all the girls wearing bow ties?" Donna Martin: "Someone has to"— Helen Sutton seriously to a bugology major: "Do rats lay eggs?"— In the smoker: "I like an exam, I think they're fun, I never cram, I never flunk one, I'm the professor"— At the east door when a lad with long hair passed by. Bystander: "They shot Abraham Lincoln."

Fashion wise gals expressed delight over the advent of cooler weather. Now they don't have to view their beaux in loafers, levis, and "T" shirts.

Did you catch the Fritz Willis Esquire Girl "genius" in the November issue? A replica of decorous Betty Collins, la bombe de la California.

Stunt Captain Helen Marie Davis
Sponsor Miss Bonnie Magill

Library Becomes More Streamlined

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be the exact size of the original. Some of the pictures will be hung in the lobbies of the quad and the dormitory, and the remainder which are not borrowed by students will be available to members of the faculty for use in classrooms and offices. A picture may be borrowed for a quarter or a year. At the end of that time the borrower may exchange it for another.

Films to Serve District
A film library of educational and recreational 16 mm. films will be built up to aid teachers of Northwest Missouri in class room instruction. The library will eventually include two to three hundred current films covering the various fields of education and phases of instruction. All films will be serviced and repaired at the library. They will be shipped to schools in this district upon request.

Also to serve the teachers of this district will be separate collections of sample text books and children's literature.

In the text book collection will be exhibited the copies of all the text books publishers are currently marketing. The collection, which will always include the latest editions, will serve as a guide to teachers of all grades from elementary through high school. A project such as this type to help teachers of the district acquaint themselves with the texts used throughout the country has long been desired and will undoubtedly be a great service to all teachers of Northwest Missouri.

The children's literature collection will be developed through the cooperation of the library and English staffs. It will include books of elementary literature to provide teachers and future teachers with a working knowledge of the types of literature prescribed for grades from the first to the eighth. This special collection will be housed at the Horace Mann building where the books will be available to the students there.

President Receives Letter From Norway

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all together at home for the first time since 1939. It is a long time, and quite a few changes have taken place. The conditions here in Norway are fairly good; far better, I believe, than in most of the countries in Europe. The government has been successful in maintaining a high standard of living, and it has also kept the inflation away. Of course, since we depend very much upon world trade, it is clear that the rising of prices in the United States has a considerable influence here.

An extensive rebuilding program has been carried out. In Oslo alone, close to 3,000 new apartments have been built since the war ended despite the fact that towns that were completely destroyed during the war have priority on all building materials. Our industry has reached 1939 level and its production is still going up. As a whole, the Norwegians have tried to work hard to get over the set back that was caused by the war.

I presume you will ask: Do we need the Marshall plan? The answer would be a definite "yes." We need machinery for our industry and for our agriculture. But we do not need it so badly that we would agree to any political implications that the plan is feared to contain. The Norwegians are much like the Americans with respect to culture, but, as I always used to say, the country itself cannot afford a capitalistic system. We need a central planning and we also need and want state control of the vital industries and utilities.

Well, so much for politics. I am now taking Latin, which is required before I take the examination in English. Latin is taught over three semesters so I do not profit much from the lectures as I plan to take the examination before Christmas. I am working very hard, but I want to get through as fast as possible. If I can keep that speed I shall get my degree in three years.

As I mentioned in the beginning I now realize how easy it was to study at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College. All the people that I have talked with think that I have been very lucky to have had this opportunity. And I do feel that the two years in Maryville are the best years of my life, not only from the point of view of schooling but also because of the friendliness I was met with, and because of all I saw and because of the experience. I thank you, President Jones, for what you did for me and for what you are doing for all the foreign students that visit the College.

Please give my regards to Dean Cunningham and other members of the faculty. I hope I shall have time to write to some of them soon. Also remember me to Mrs. Jones. If you ever have the opportunity to be in Norway, it is cold, but it is a beautiful place.

With my best regards,
Sincerely yours,
Odd Steinholt

Foreign Students Give Program
Arminda Zelaya of Bolivia, Pierre Soutreau of France, and Nick Marinov of Greece will present a program at Savannah, November 6.

Michael Cook, who plays the part of Rev. Canon Chasuble in The Importance of Being Earnest, made his professional debut with Paul Robeson in "Show Boat."

[Social Activities]

Tau Pledge Dance Held for Sixty Guests

The chapter of Sigma Tau held its fall pledge dance at the Maryville Country Club, Sunday, October 25. Brad Moore, who had furnished the music for approximately sixty couples, and invited guests danced. Dr. and Mrs. John Harr and Leslie White were faculty representatives at the affair. Refreshments were served by the chapter personnel.

The chapter has thirty-six pledges this quarter: Robert Burman, St. Joseph; Bill Christenson, St. Joseph; John Daly, St. Joseph; Marion Freeman, Tarkio; Edna, Maryville; Bernell Gabbert, Delbert Gabbert, Grant, Don Gamble, Plattsburg; and Jordan, Kansas City; Ken- neth Haegh, Atlantic, Iowa; Don man, Waukegan, Illinois; "Sam" Houston, Lancaster; man James, Albany; Richard el and William Kilby, Lenox; a; Virgil Kent, Savannah; rd Klang, Essex, Iowa; Homer nk" Long, Graham; Kenny llen, Maryville; William e, Rock Port; Tommy Neglon, Joseph; James Page, Raytown; ion Sheer, Grant City; Jack k, Omaha, Nebraska; Max ey, Mound City; Willett rg" Johnson, Red Oak, Iowa; Stanton, College Springs; a; John "Bob" Waldmire, ngfield, Illinois; James New- nder, St. Joseph; Maurice n" Wheeler, Maryville; Bob on, St. Joseph; Johnny Wood, yville; Bob Wright, Richmond, ronia; and Vincent "Pat" owski, St. Joseph.

Peppers Elect Thirteen Girls Into Organization

The Green and White Peppers September 22 and elected thirteen girls to become members of the pep organization. The follow- ing girls were officially initiated as members on September 29: Pat Smith, yville; Beth Hurst, Maryville; e Wharton, Stanberry; Pat Mo- re, Farragut, Iowa; Sergia Pries, yville.

olly Kramer, Pasadena, Texas; rryn Espey, Maryville; Vernelle e Graham; Ruth Jean Burns, ard; Julie Polten, Tabor, Iowa; uthy Anderson, Maryville, Ludene ard, Cameron; and Jo Horton, Moines, Iowa. Peppers met in Room 103, Octo- 11, 1947. It was announced that nesday, October 14, was the final for the ordering of uniforms. Gene Pollard, Juanita Ford, and es Keown were appointed to rate a car for the Homecoming de.

chill supper is being given Octo- 31, at 5:30 at the Presbyterian ch in honor of the former Pep- who are attending Homecom- The following committees were nited: program, Jo Horton, rman, Beth Hurst, and Katie e; decoration, Vernelle Cox, rman, Ruth Burns, Pat McIn- and Julie Polten. was decided that the Peppers attend in a body the Kirkville e on November 7, 1947. They will attend the Religious Emphasis re Monday at 4:00.

Kappa Phi Fraternity Initiates Four Members

Four pledges became active to Kappa Omicron Phi, national pro- fessional home economics frater- nity, on Monday afternoon, Octo- 27. The new active members as follows: Shirley Burger, Mrs. y Margaret Martin, Virginia umberger, and Lavonne Wescott. After the initiation Dr. June e, sponsor of Alpha Chapter, ted each member and an alum- Miss Mabel Cook, to a buffet ner at her home. After the din- Madge Miller, president of na Chapter, presided over a eral business meeting.

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College Weddings

Frampton-Echterling
Miss Etta Fern Frampton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Frampton, and Elvin Echterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvas Echterling of Parnell, were married Aug- ust 21, in the St. Joseph Catholic church.

The bride is a graduate of Rav- enwood high school and attended the College.

Murphy-Ingels
August 23, Miss Ruth Murphy and Robert E. Ingels were married in the Methodist church in a cere- mony performed by the Rev. Rob- ert B. Holliday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin W. Payton of near Maryville, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ingels of Mary- ville.

The bride is a graduate of Sheri- dan high school, and the groom is a graduate of Maryville high school. Both attended the College.

Lincoln-Kakac
August 23, Miss Ola Mae Lincoln and Filmore Kakac, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Kakac, were united in marriage in the First Christian church of Maryville. The Rev. O. S. Lincoln, uncle of the bride and pastor of the Christian church of Aberdeen, South Dakota, officiated. Both have attended the College.

Freind-Florea
Miss Mary Freind, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ora E. Freind of Hopkins, and Faye J. Florea, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Faye J. Florea of Pickering, were married August 27, at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. Florea is a graduate of Gay- nor high school and has attended the College. Mrs. Florea graduated from Graham high school and the Chillicothe Business College and, previous to her marriage, worked in the employment office in Mary- ville.

Gross-Swanson
Miss Laura Gross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton A. Gross, and Thomas F. Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Swanson of Kansas City, were married in Cameron, September 3. The Rev. Joseph Lorenz of the St. Elizabeth Catholic church officiated.

The bride graduated from Cam- eron high school and attended the College and Kansas City College.

Lyon-Cook
Miss Mary Maxine Lyon, daugh- ter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Palmer Lyon, and Noel Winston Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cary Cook of Decatur, Georgia, were married Friday, September 5, at the Lyon home in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Oliver M. Keve.

Mrs. Cook is a graduate of the Central high school and had at- tended the St. Joseph Junior Col- lege and the College. Mrs. Cook, also a registered medical technici- an, received further training in the Research Hospital in Kansas City. They will reside in Atlanta, Georgia.

Watt-Descheneaux
Miss Virginia Watt, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Person, and Captain Kenneth W. Descheneaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Desch- eneaux of Springfield, Mass., were united in a double ring ceremony October 10, at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Fred Hazard, in Leghorn, Italy. The post chaplain officiated.

Mrs. Descheneaux attended Lin- denwood College at St. Charles and graduated from the University of Colorado at Boulder. She also attended the College and was a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority. She taught home econo- mics at Centralla and Jefferson City before entering the foreign service of the American Red Cross in 1943. She served in Italy and North Africa and resigned shortly before her marriage.

Captain Descheneaux, who dur- ing the war was a rifle company commander of the 29th Infantry

Candidates for Queen Introduced in Assembly

Members of the Homecoming Committee called a special assembly October 27. Norbert Meyer, pre- siding director, explained that the purpose of such action was to intro- duce candidates for the Homecoming crown.

Jack Cook, senior, introduced Miss Sue Philip, who is a senior migrat- ing from Chillicothe. Miss Philip is a member of Alpha Sig sorority, Green and White Peppers, president of Dance Club, and has been a school cheerleader for three years.

Maxine McDermitt, Bridgewater, Iowa, was introduced as a freshman candidate. Barkatze and Tri Sigma sorority claim Miss McDermitt's membership. Her manager was Harold "Swede" Johnson.

From Gilman City, Dolores Keown, was heralded by W. T. "Digby" Daw- son. This sophomore crown con- tender is a member of Alpha Sig sorority, Green and White Peppers, and Dance Club. She was an at- tendant to the Homecoming Queen in 1946.

"Margaret Curry, member of Tri Sig and ACE, is a sophomore whose home town is Oregon. Some of her talents were enumerated by Fred Davis.

A freshman from Maryville, Katie Espey, was presented by Jack Slack. Miss Espey is a member of the Alpha Sig sorority and Green and White Peppers.

Dr. John Harr explained the neces- sity of faculty-student cooperation during the week of preparation for this yearly event, previous to the introduction of the girls competing for royalty.

President Jones expressed his de- sire that the 1947 Homecoming be 100 per cent perfect. He said that with complete aid from all it could be a perfect Homecoming.

Newman Club Enlivens Meeting With Roast

Newman Club members and their guests enjoyed a bonfire wiener roast in College Park at their regular meeting Thursday evening, October 16, 1947. A short business session was held to dis- cuss money raising propositions for the coming year.

Officers of the club are as fol- lows: Mark Christine, president; Howard Taylor, vice president; Dorothea Carter, secretary; Joe Roach, treasurer; Helen Spire, corresponding secretary; Cath- erine Carter, reporter; John Shiels, sergeant-at-arms.

The following committees have been appointed by the president. Members of the program commit- tee are Mary Margaret Martin, chairman; Charles Hinchey, Man- uel Gadea, and Charlene Har- man. The social committee is composed of the following: Ted McClain, chairman; Abelard Pa- latino, Daisy Schenkel, and Dick Sears.

Division in England, has been as- signed to two years' service in Paris in charge of graves registration division in France. He was with the American invasion force at Omaha Beach, France, and was wounded in action.

Mr. and Mrs. Descheneaux are spending their honeymoon in Flor- ence, Italy.

Luyster-Brinkley
Miss Nylene Louise Luyster, daughter of Mrs. Della Luyster of Linneus, and Jack Cawood Brink- ley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brinkley of Linneus, were married October 11, at 8 p. m. at the Lin- neus Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. K. Christy.

Mrs. Brinkley graduated from Linneus high school and is a sen- ior at the College. Mr. Brinkley, who is also a graduate of Linneus high school, is now a student at the Chillicothe Business College. He served three years in the navy.

Davis-Moran

Dr. and Mrs. O. Mykmg Mehms of Kansas City, formerly of Mary- ville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Lou Davis, to Fred Royce Moran, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Moran of Galena. The ceremony was performed at the First Presbyterian church in Warrensburg, October 19.

The bride's mother was formerly a member of the College faculty. While in Maryville, the bride at- tended Horace Mann high school and later attended Stephens Col- lege and the University of Kansas City.

Sadie Hawkins' Dance Is Coming
Do you have a favorite boy or a favorite girl? If you do, you had better get in order for Sadie Haw- kins week, coming soon to the cam- pus. The annual Sadie Hawkins Dance will be held after the War- rensburg game, November 15. The game is in the afternoon, and the dance will be in the evening.

The I. o. B. Earnest, a requisite for our entertainment.

Delta Sigma Pledges



PLEDGES OF DELTA SIGMA EPSILON SORORITY at the College are shown in the foregoing picture, left to right: Front row, Rose Marie Howe, Savannah; Margie Ann Ketchum, Clarksdale; Janis Rhodes, Maryville; Alta Stoner, Richmond; and Norma Blodgett, Stewartville.

Back row, left to right, Helen Hartell, Kearney; Kathryn Barmann, Arkoe; Betty Hudson, Watson; Shirley Judy, Mound City, and Janis Lash, Tarkio. Lois Walker, Turney, is not in picture.



Mary Lewis will play in the "Tartuffe" production given by the National Repertory Theatre at the College next week.

I. R. C. Will Send Some Delegates to Conference

The International Relations Club met Monday night, October 20, at 7:00, for its third meeting of the current school year.

Dr. W. Clark Ellzey, professor of Education for Marriage at Stephens College, was the guest speaker. Dr. Ellzey declared that in using fifty miles as a measuring stick of human achievement, the last mile would represent civilization. Because of the rate which the world is moving, people must learn to assume more responsibility at an earlier age in order to cope intelligently with adult problems from day to day. He added that the real problems facing us today is not a world, a race, or an international problem but a self prob- lem—that is, enough people dealing with themselves, their prejudices, and their ignorance will solve the question of whether or not civilization will continue to progress or will slide backward.

The club has been invited to send five delegates to a conference to dis- cuss the United Nations Organiza- tion. This conference is to be held at the University of Missouri, No- vember 7-8.

Home Ec. Girls Have Guests
On October 23, Thursday evening at 6:30, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones and Dr. June Cozine were guests of the Home Management House girls. A three course dinner was served by Nan George, Madge Miller, Phyllis Butts, and Marilyn Partridge.

If veteran students fail to re- ceive their subsistence checks, they should see the VA representative at the school immediately.

College Was Known As Normal No. 5

Educational Institution Has Served Community Forty-One Years.

Homecoming graduates and for- mer students of the College came back to an alma mater that is serv- ing its forty-first year as an educa- tional institution. Many of those people among the older set will re- call that when the College was first established it was known as North- west Normal and later Normal No. 5.

The bill authorizing the building of Northwest Normal was signed by Governor Joseph W. Folk on March 25, 1905. It had, however, been thought about, dreamed of, and fought over for many years prior to that date. Mr. J. H. Lemon staged a valiant fight for the creation of this school district. Mr. Lemon, a rep- resentative from a section of Nod- away county near Clearmont, was so dominant in leading the move for the school that it became known as the "Nodaway County Normal Bill." People of Northwest Missouri who are proud of their district school have often called Representative J. H. Lemon the "Father of the STC."

Selection of Site

After news of the passage of the bill, selection of a site was the prom- inent feature for consideration. Five towns from the Northwest Mis- souri District, constituted of nine- teen counties, vied for the honor of being selected as a location for the College.

The citizens of Maryville went wild with sheer joy when news came that their city had been chosen. A celebration ensued that could be heard from one end of town to the other and lasted from late afternoon of August 4, 1905, to early morning of August 5.

Material aid for the erection of the school included eighty-six acres of land in a most suitable site and \$58,000 tendered by the city of Maryville and Nodaway county.

Regents Appointed

A board of regents was appointed. It held its first meeting in St. Joseph on January 11, 1906. Prof. Frank Deerwater of the State Normal School of Warrensburg was chosen president. His executive duties be- gan immediately and he entered upon the task of organization, which progressed rapidly. The faculty was chosen on March 13, 1906. The cornerstone for the Administration Building was laid on October 12, 1907. Ceremonies, witnessed by 10,000, were conducted by the Masons, and Governor Folk was the speaker of the day.

Two-Year Normal

The school began as a two-year normal school. In the beginning, it served mostly students of high school rank, but gradually it achieved a collegiate atmosphere. It became a standard four-year college in June, 1916.

First classes were held in the fall of 1906 in a building donated by the city, located on the campus, and formerly used by the Maryville Seminary. Students and teachers endured the hardships of cramped quarters and scattered classes in buildings all over town until Octo- ber, 1910, when they moved to the administration building, nearing completion on a campus of 117 acres.

Enrollment figures for the first year were approximately 175 stu- dents, and the first faculty consisted of fifteen members.

Following Mr. Deerwater as pres- ident were Homer Martien Cook, Dr. H. K. Taylor, Dr. Ira Richardson, and Dr. Uel W. Lamkin before the present administrator, Dr. J. W. Jones. Many improvements in the College—in curriculum, plant, per- sonnel, service to students, to state, to nation, to the world, have been brought by these leaders.

Today, besides the Administration Building, the local school includes the Horace Mann Laboratory School, a new library, manual arts build- ing and gymnasium. Residence Hall has been constructed and serves as living quarters for women and five dormitory buildings known as the "Men's Quads," house the men students. A home economics practice house, several acres to the original college farm, barns, a greenhouse, a power plant have been added.

Fully Accredited

Academically, the College today is fully accredited. Its graduates can enter the universities which offer graduate study and find that their degrees are accepted. Three degrees the College now confers: the A. B., the B. S., and the B. S. in Education. It is approved by the North Central Association of Col- leges and Secondary Schools, by the American Association of Teachers Colleges, and by the American As- sociation of University Women.

As its part of the war effort, the College supported a Navy V-12 unit from the fall of 1943 to the fall of 1945.

Intermediate Club Holds Meeting

Intermediate Club met at Hor- ace Mann on October 28, 1947. It was voted that individual dues be thirty-five cents per quarter. Rose Marie Howe was appointed club reporter in the place of Dolores Cook. Decorations for the home- coming parade were begun. A social meeting is being planned for Nov- ember 11, 1947. Miss Mary Keith is sponsor of the group.

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New Representatives Are Elected to Council

The results of the recent elec- tion of Faculty Council members show that the Council for 1947- 1948 will be composed of the fol- lowing: Mr. Hartzell, Mr. Valk, and Mr. Wright, 1948; Miss Bow- man, Miss Cozine, and Miss Smith, 1949; and Mr. Taylor, Mr. Surrey, and Mr. Saylor, 1950.

The Faculty Council consists of the President, the Dean of the Faculty and nine other members chosen by the faculty. Three mem- bers are elected each year for a three year term.

The Council reports its actions to the faculty and makes recom- mendations for faculty action, con- sidering problems presented to it concerning student welfare and, again, makes recommendations as it deems advisable, is concerned with the ways and means of im- proving classroom instruction, and is the representative legislative body of the faculty.

It also considers suggestions from any member of the faculty relative to matters dealing specifi- cally with the standards and re- quirements for the various certi- ficates, diplomas, and degrees and makes recommendations to the faculty on these matters.

Alpha Sigma Alpha Holds Founder's Day Dinner

Alpha Sigma Alpha held its an- nual Founder's Day Dinner, Novem- ber 1, at the Maryville Country Club. The dinner was held for the purpose of honoring the founders of the sorority and the alumnae of the local chapter present for Homecoming.

"Worldmanship" was the theme of the program presented by Dorothy June Masters, Vernelle Cox, Beverly Edelman, and Doris Jean Hamilton. Patronesses of the sorority are Mrs. Clun Price, Mrs. Charles Bell, Mrs. Albert Kuchs, Mrs. J. W. Jones, and Mrs. F. M. Townsend. Mrs. John Mauzey and Miss Jes- se Jutten are co-sponsors.

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Kappa Omicron Phi Hear Talk by Dr. Ellzey

Tuesday evening, October 21, 1947, at the Home Management House, Dr. W. Clark Ellzey, professor at Stephens College, Colum- bia, spoke to thirty-two Kappa Omicron Phi and Home Economics Club students. Dr. Ellzey answer- ed questions and led a panel dis- cussion on questions concerning marriage, codes of behavior, and responsibilities of the church, school, and home toward helping youth to understand marriage, sex, and family relationships. Dr. Ellzey related incidents from his personal counseling which illus- trated problems of youth here at the College.

After the discussion, refresh- ments prepared by the girls stay- ing at the Home Management House were served.

Party Planned by Senior Class for Near Future

President Manley Thompson pre- sided at the first Senior Class meet- ing of the school year, Wednesday, October 8. Present at the meeting were the following class officers: Nan George, vice-president; Pat Straight, secretary; Bob Weston, treasurer; and President Thompson. Composing the executive com- mittee appointed are Iris Wetheril, Dick Appleman, Nan George, Pat Straight, Jack Garrett, and Gaylord Coleman. The social committee has as its members Sue Philip, Marilyn Partridge, Phyllis Butts, J. Wendel Wilson, and Bruce Mitchell. This committee has charge of arrange- ments for the senior party to be held in the near future.

